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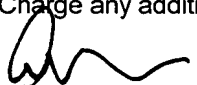
Invention: IMMUNOSTIMULATORY NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES

**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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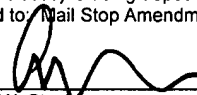
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**Introductory Comments**

In response to the Office Action dated May 5, 2006, please enter the following:

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.